(d) Efforts are being made to regularise the daily wages subject to their suitability and Keeping in view the availability of regular vancancies.

उत्तर प्रदेश में वायु सेना केन्द्र

1769. **श्री सत्य प्रकाश मालवीय :** क्या रक्षा मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या इस समय उत्तर प्रदेश में वायु सेना का कोई केन्द्र विद्यमान है ;

(ख) यदि हां, तो उसका ब्यौरा क्या है ; और

(ग) यदि नहीं, तो इसके क्या कारण हैं और क्या वहां निकट भविष्य में ऐसा कोई केन्द्र स्थापित किए जाने का विचार है ?

रक्षा मंत्रालय में रक्षा उत्पादन और पूर्ति विभाग में राज्य मंत्री (श्री चिता मणि पाणिग्रही) : (क) जी, हां ।

(ख) उत्तर प्रदेश में भारतीय वायु सेना की कई यूनिटें कार्य कर रही हैं। इनके ब्यौरे राष्ट्रीय हित में प्रकट नहीं किए जा सकते । कानपुर स्थित वायु सैनिक चयन केन्द्र संख्या 3, उम्मीदवारों को उत्तर प्रदेश के सभी जिलों से भर्ती करता है ।

(ग) उत्तर प्रदेश में निकट भविष्य में कोई अतिरिक्त स्टेशन/केन्द्र स्थापित नहीं किया जा रहा है ।

Redressing the problems of Central Government Employees

1770. PROF. C. LAKSHMANNA: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the Federation of Central Government Employees had changed the Central Government for not redressing their problems at Hyderabad recently;

(b) if so, what are the demands of the Federation of Central Government Employees; and

(c) what steps are being taken to meet their demands.

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS AND THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI P. CHIDAMBARAM): (a) and (b) No communication in this regard has been received in this Ministry.

(c) Does not arise.

Couples covered under family welfare programme

1771. PROF. C. LAKSHMANNA: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) what percentage of eligible couples have been covered under family welfare during the first four years of Seventh Five Year Plan;

(b) what are the reasons for backlog, if any; and

(c) how would this backlog is likely to be covered during the Eigth Five Year Plan period?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (KUMARI SAROJ KHAPARDE): (a) Persentage of couples estimated to have been effectively covered due to family planning at the end of each of first four years of Seventh Five Year Plan are 34.9, 37.5, 39.9 and 42.6 (provisional) as on 31st March, of 1986, 1987, 1988 and 1989 respectively.

(b) Considering that the Seventh Five Year Plan envisages a target of 42 per cent Couple Protection Rate to be reached by the end of Seventh Plan i.e. by 1990, there is no backlog.

(c) The targets for the Eighth Plan are proposed to be set, in consonance with the long terms demographic goal of achieving 60 per cent Couple Protection Rate by 2000 AD.